



This is a digital copy of a book that was preserved for generations on library shelves before it was carefully scanned by Google as part of a project to make the world's books discoverable online.

It has survived long enough for the copyright to expire and the book to enter the public domain. A public domain book is one that was never subject to copyright or whose legal copyright term has expired. Whether a book is in the public domain may vary country to country. Public domain books are our gateways to the past, representing a wealth of history, culture and knowledge that's often difficult to discover.

Marks, notations and other marginalia present in the original volume will appear in this file - a reminder of this book's long journey from the publisher to a library and finally to you.

Usage guidelines

Google is proud to partner with libraries to digitize public domain materials and make them widely accessible. Public domain books belong to the public and we are merely their custodians. Nevertheless, this work is expensive, so in order to keep providing this resource, we have taken steps to prevent abuse by commercial parties, including placing technical restrictions on automated querying.

We also ask that you:

- + *Make non-commercial use of the files* We designed Google Book Search for use by individuals, and we request that you use these files for personal, non-commercial purposes.
- + *Refrain from automated querying* Do not send automated queries of any sort to Google's system: If you are conducting research on machine translation, optical character recognition or other areas where access to a large amount of text is helpful, please contact us. We encourage the use of public domain materials for these purposes and may be able to help.
- + *Maintain attribution* The Google "watermark" you see on each file is essential for informing people about this project and helping them find additional materials through Google Book Search. Please do not remove it.
- + *Keep it legal* Whatever your use, remember that you are responsible for ensuring that what you are doing is legal. Do not assume that just because we believe a book is in the public domain for users in the United States, that the work is also in the public domain for users in other countries. Whether a book is still in copyright varies from country to country, and we can't offer guidance on whether any specific use of any specific book is allowed. Please do not assume that a book's appearance in Google Book Search means it can be used in any manner anywhere in the world. Copyright infringement liability can be quite severe.

About Google Book Search

Google's mission is to organize the world's information and to make it universally accessible and useful. Google Book Search helps readers discover the world's books while helping authors and publishers reach new audiences. You can search through the full text of this book on the web at <http://books.google.com/>

EducT

750

21.813

THE SPELL-TO-WRITE

SPELLING BOOKS

SUHRIE AND
KOEHLER



WORDS
COMMONLY
USED IN
WRITING

BOOK FOUR
SEVENTH AND EIGHTH YEARS

Educ T 759.21.813 (4)



Harvard College Library

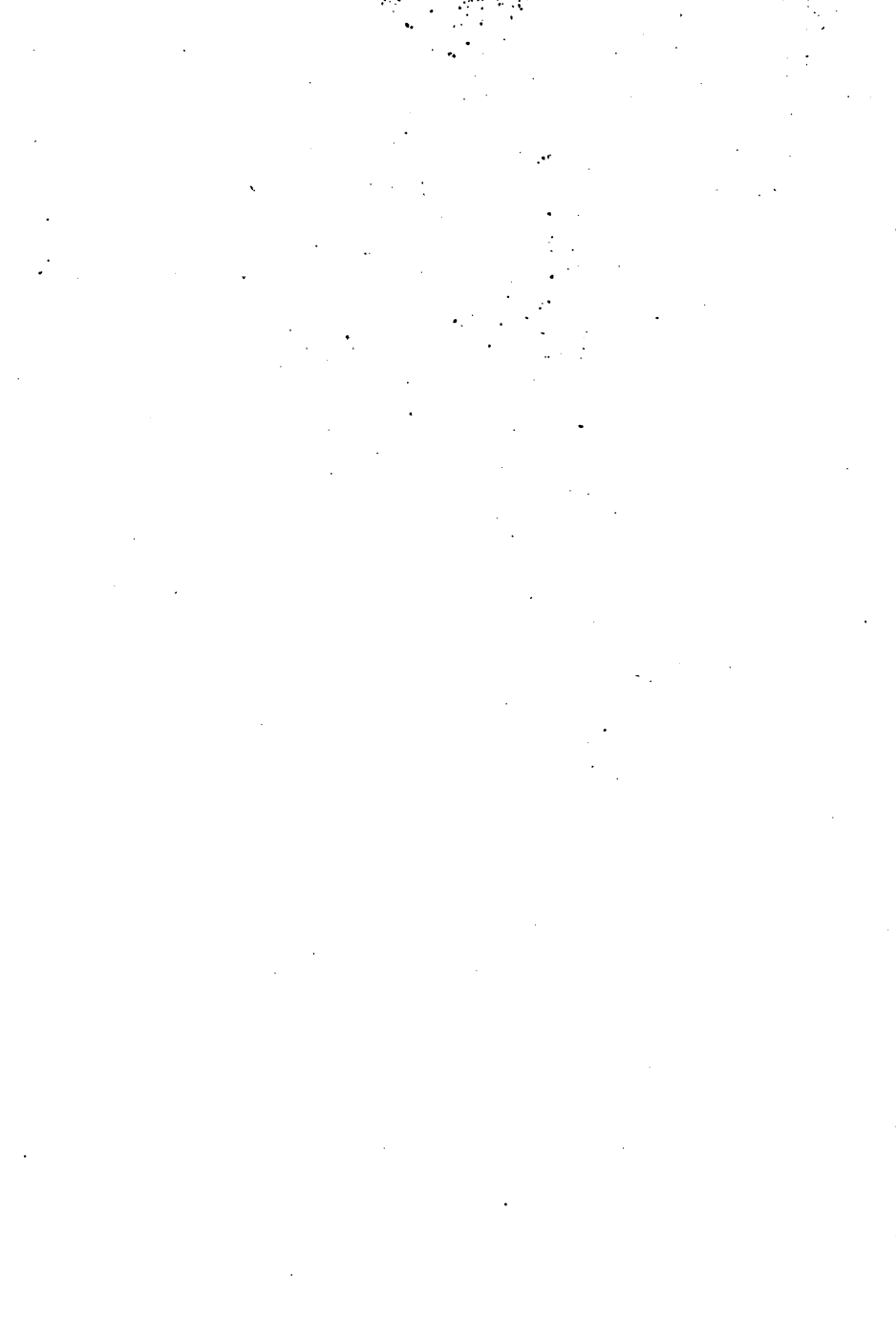
FROM

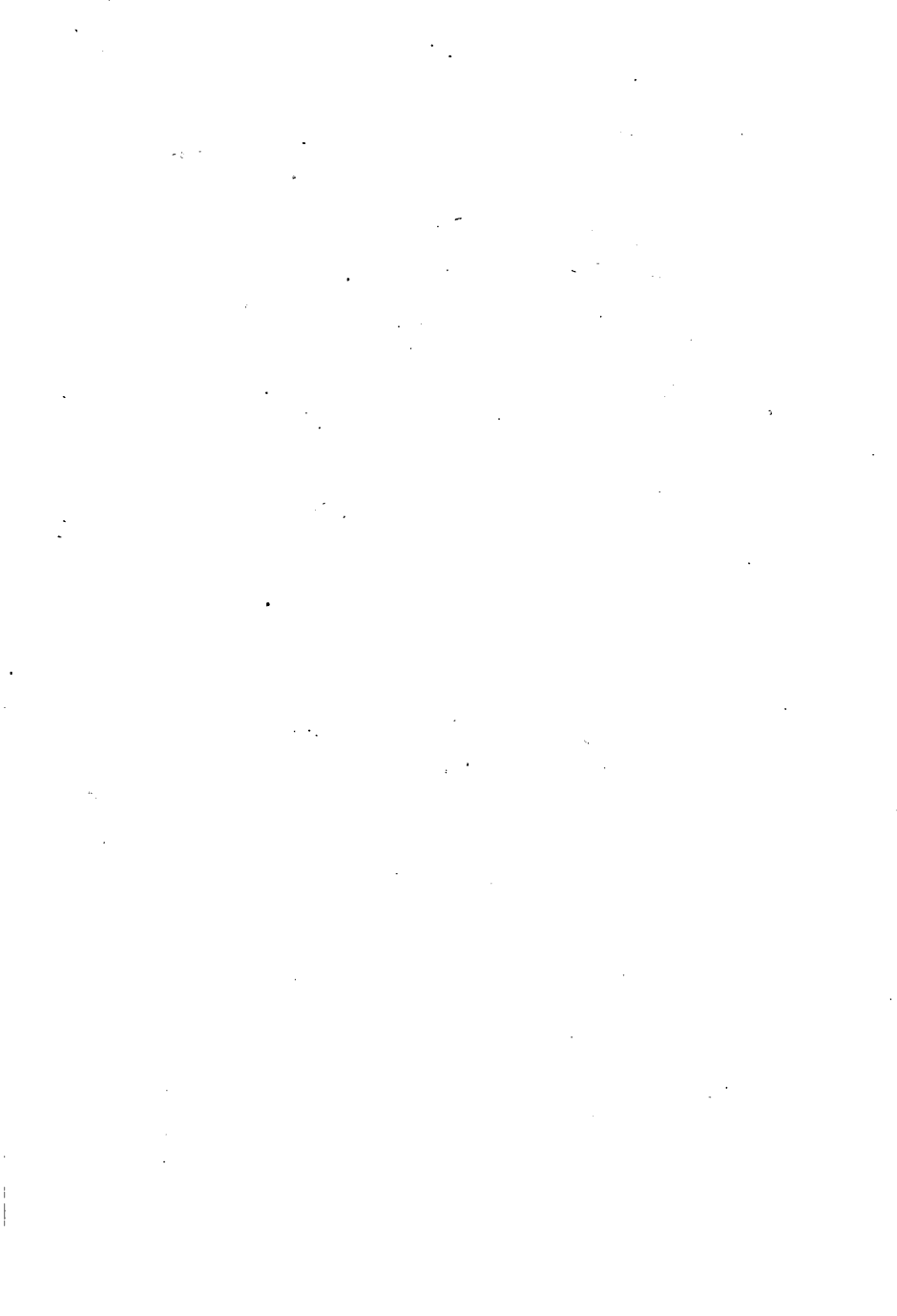
Boston School

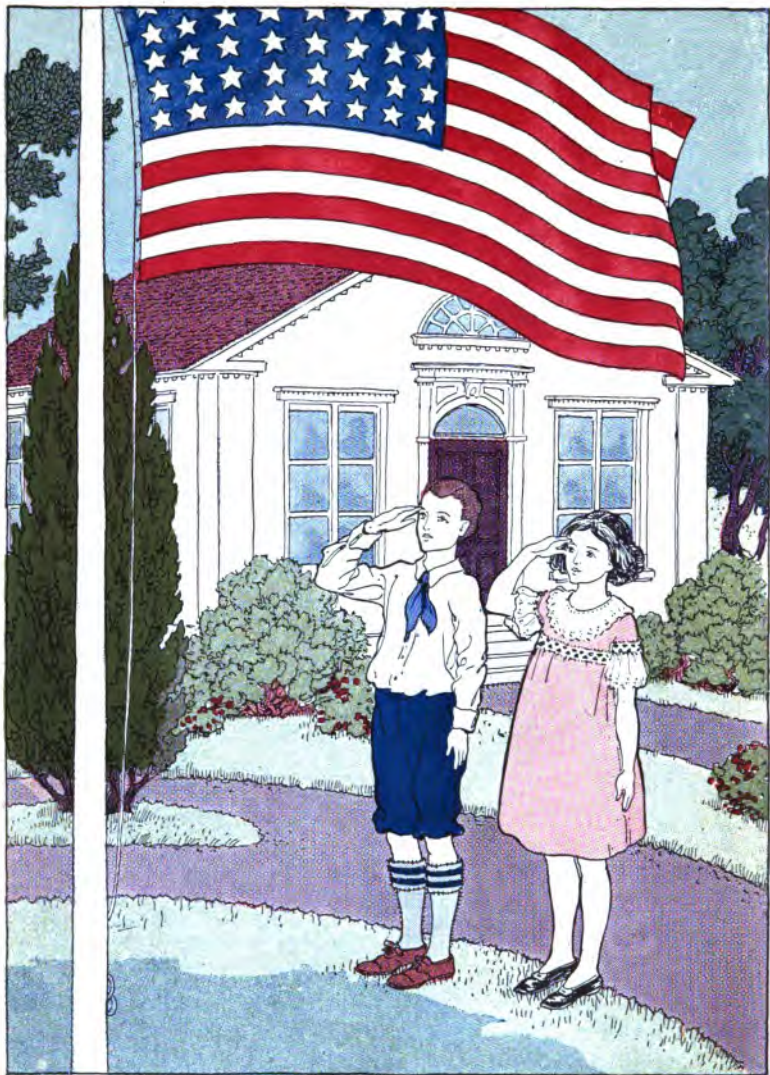
Committee Library



3 2044 081 499 725







"I PLEDGE ALLEGIANCE TO MY FLAG, AND TO THE REPUBLIC FOR WHICH IT STANDS,—ONE NATION, INDIVISIBLE, WITH LIBERTY AND JUSTICE FOR ALL."

THE
SPELL-TO-WRITE
SPELLING BOOKS

BY

AMBROSE L. SUHRIE, Ph.D.,

DEAN OF THE CLEVELAND SCHOOL OF EDUCATION
CLEVELAND, OHIO

AND

ROBERT PHILIP KOEHLER, A.B.,

ASSISTANT DIRECTOR OF INSTRUCTION, CENTRAL Y. M. C. A. SCHOOLS
PHILADELPHIA

ILLUSTRATED BY

FREDERICK RICHARDSON

THAT HE WHO WRITES MAY SPELL

BOOK FOUR

THE JOHN C. WINSTON COMPANY
PHILADELPHIA CHICAGO

✓ EducT 759.21.813(4)

HARVARD COLLEGE LIBRARY
GIFT OF
BOSTON SCHOOL COMMITTEE LIBRARY
JUL 21 1939

Copyright, 1921, by
THE JOHN C. WINSTON COMPANY
Entered at Stationer's Hall, London

All rights reserved

MADE IN U. S. A.

FOREWORD

The aim of the authors in the preparation of this series of textbooks is expressed in the title—**The Spell-to-Write Spelling Books**. Generally speaking, a knowledge of spelling is necessary only in connection with the act of writing. In these books, therefore, the effort is made to insure the mastery of those words which are commonly used in writing.

Selection of Words. It is not intended that the words included in this series should provide an exhaustive vocabulary for any given individual. They do, however, make up a basal writing vocabulary which will meet the ordinary needs of most people. Their selection results from a comparative analysis of available scientific studies relating to the writing vocabularies of both children and adults. The introduction of each word has been determined by the application of two fundamental principles: (1), present need for the word on the part of the pupil and (2), probability of continued use of the word by the pupil *in writing*. Words limited in their use to the reading or to the hearing vocabularies of most individuals are omitted. Definite provision, however, is made for the training of each pupil in a method for acquiring the correct spelling of the words which he individually needs in his writing but which are not included in a basal writing vocabulary.

Gradation of Words. In so far as possible, words are introduced in anticipation of the child's immediate writing needs, and in the associations in which he naturally comes to use them in spontaneous or in well motivated written work.

Review of Words. Adequate provision is made for the

review of all words which present spelling difficulties. Some words present no difficulties and therefore require comparatively little attention. Others need frequent repetition and drill. These words are made to recur in the text at intervals of increasing length, and with a frequency which bears a somewhat definite ratio to their relative difficulty. In order to ascertain the relative difficulty of the words in this basal vocabulary, a prolonged and somewhat exhaustive investigation was made of the comparative frequency with which these words were misspelled by many thousands of school children in their written work.

Illustrations. For the purpose of stimulating children in the development of their writing vocabularies, a great number of attractive illustrations have been included. They provide familiar topics for informal discussion in the earlier years and for written composition as soon as writing becomes part of the child's school activity. The words and phrases associated with the pictures will help the children to tell the stories in idiomatic English. Such exercises, properly motivated, become the basis of letter writing and other spontaneous written composition and tend to fix the correct spelling of new and difficult words by their natural and frequent use *in writing*.

Typography. The fundamental importance of conserving the eyesight of school children has led to the selection of much larger type than is ordinarily used in textbooks. The spaces also are wider than in most books for children. Eye-strain is thus reduced and the correct visualization of letters and word forms is made more certain. The typographical standards maintained throughout the series fully meet those set up by the American School Hygiene Association.*

* In this connection the following statement to the authors from Dr. William H. Burnham, Chairman of the American School Hygiene Association Committee on the Standardization of School Books, is of interest:

A Method for Study. At the beginning of each year the student is given a method for study suited to his grade. Throughout the series there is a cumulative recurrence of suggestions and directions for independent study. These suggestions aim to help each pupil:

- (1) To diagnose his spelling difficulties.
- (2) To search for associations to fix the correct spelling of difficult words.
- (3) To review words with a frequency which corresponds to the degree of their difficulty *for him*.
- (4) To make use of the dictionary.
- (5) To acquire a method for learning to spell new words as he comes to need them in his writing, either while in school or after leaving school.

Throughout the series the pupil is given definite help in the formation of habits of study which are economical and effective.

Manual for Teachers. The handbook for teachers presents (1) a simple statement of the principles of teaching which may be applied in preventing and in correcting faulty spelling, (2) a method for teaching spelling lessons in the several grades, and (3) definite help in the teaching of words which present special difficulties.

All words in any given lesson in the text are reproduced under a corresponding lesson number in the Manual. Upon the initial appearance of each word in the text, its pronunciation and syllabication are given in the Manual. The special difficulties of many of these words are indicated

“The need of larger type in books for the lower grades is not a matter of opinion. It is important that possible eye-strain be avoided in case of all children. Furthermore, in the early grades a large percentage of the children have undeveloped or hyperopic eyes. On account of the shortness of their arms, it is not possible for some of these children to hold the book as far away from the eyes as would be necessary to enable them to read normally without special accommodation. In such cases great eye-strain results.”

by boldface type. This diagnosis of words is the result of an investigation made with the cooperation of teachers in more than a thousand schools, urban and rural, widely distributed throughout the country. Many thousands of misspellings were collected and classified as to (1) the grade in which they occurred, (2) the variations in form, and (3) the probable causes. Upon the introduction of each of the most troublesome words into the spelling text, there are given in the Manual suggestions concerning preventive and corrective treatment.

For some years past, leading educators have urged the preparation of a manual for teachers in accordance with the foregoing principles. The statement of principles applicable in the teaching of spelling, the type lessons suggested for the several grades, and the cautions and suggestions associated with individual words should tend to make the teacher's daily preparation less difficult and more effective.

The Spell-to-Write Spelling Books are the result of years of research in the university seminar and of experimentation in the elementary school as a laboratory. The Manual has been prepared in response to the universal call of teachers for definite help in the teaching of spelling.

AMBROSE L. SUHRIE.

ROBERT PHILIP KOEHLER.

THE
SPELL-TO-WRITE
SPELLING BOOKS



BOOK FOUR

SEVENTH YEAR

TO THE PUPIL WHO USES THIS BOOK:

If you will follow these suggestions, correct spelling will become easy for you—and habitual.

This is the way to **study** a spelling word:

1. Look at the word carefully. If it is unfamiliar to you, look up its meaning and pronunciation.
2. Pronounce the word correctly and distinctly.
3. Spell it several times, pronouncing each letter and paying close attention to the order of the letters.
4. Close your eyes and try to picture to yourself the word as it appears when written correctly; then look at the word carefully to see whether the "picture" was correct in detail.
5. Write the word, pronouncing (to yourself) each letter as you write it.

This is the way to **review** a difficult word:

1. Write it on a list which you will keep in the pocket in the back of this book.
2. Study it again and again, following the suggestions given above.
3. Test yourself on it often.

Never guess at the spelling of a word. If you are not sure, look it up in the dictionary before you write it.

Never leave a piece of written work until you are sure that every word is spelled correctly.

Try each day and each week to beat your own previous spelling record.

The way you study is more important than the time you spend on any lesson.

Read carefully the suggestions on the opposite page.

992

	burglar		disturbed
	disturb		pursued
evening	guard	knocked	closet
revolver	quickly	attacked	police
searched	quietly	surround	ladder

993

height		eighty	descend
balloon	guide	distance	alarmed
accident	quite	balanced	anchored
necessary	safety	repaired	touched

994

museum	exhibit	specimen	
articles	explain	metal	strange
together	described	steel	useless
everything	interested	sword	perfect

995

seize	opportunity	excel	
absence	easier	industrious	daily
pupil	careful	promotion	ought
All right.		Don't waste time.	

...

parade	hailed	avenue	president
celebrate	length	greatest	welcome
wonderful	whole	stretched	military

99.

scribble	initial	mere	
scribbled	closing	merely	
signature	address	accept	received
	envelope	sincerely	wrote
	invitation	whether	enclosed

998

	athletic		develop
	athletics		especially
exercise	muscles	swimming	health
athlete	strength	excellent	action
benefit	steady	therefore	indeed

999

possession		Pacific	population
chief	commerce	manners	products
islands	colonies	agriculture	position
fertile	southern	temperature	important

1000

voyage	aboard	gradually	
route	proceed	suspicious	
cities	baggage	disturbed	captain
disturb	arrived	pursued	sailor
foreign countries		pleasant weather	

Which do you think are the hardest words on this page?
Be ready to indicate any difficult parts of such words.

1001

villain	tried in vain	treacherous
burglar	purpose	factory
attempt	wicked	destroy
failed	worse	planned
		explosion
		information
		although

1002

summit	taper to a point	difficulty
prairie	height	valley
forest	eighty	rocky
mountains	descend	scenery
		excursion
		wandered
		athletic

1003

spirit	patriot	earnest
government	exhibit	attack
threaten	view	enemy
opportunity	uphold	khaki
		safety
		those
		against

1004

scholar	interested	knowledge
museum	examination	anxious
specimen	determined	certainly
subject	prepared	graduated
		closing
		excel
		succeed

1005

Write carefully twelve of the hardest words on pages 3, 4 and 5. Underline the silent letters or other difficult parts. Study the words and have some one test you on them.

1006

siege	ammunition	defend
forward	squad	defeated
surprised	cannon	finally
attacked	seized	surrender
		colonel
		officer
		decorate

1007

linen		crochet
fancy		crocheted
initial	towel	samples
handkerchief	plain	several
several	width	favorite
		needle
		supply
		scarcely

1008

protect	missionary	innocent
cruel	shelter	whose
terrible	mere	whom
torture	merely	extra
		ignorant
		assistance
		disease

1009

republic	principles of democracy	representative
government	section	measure
foundation	develop	national
independence	elect	success
		population
		candidate
		especially

1010

Arctic	discovery	region
voyage	explored	known
Pacific	possession	earlier
aboard	claimed	no one
		route
		doubtful
		parallel

Be prepared to tell the class exactly how you studied the words **siege**, **innocent** and **representative**.

1011

journal	statement	publish
procession	account	telegram
wedding	mysterious	importance
photograph	disappeared	interested
		athletics

1012

gutter	nuisance	gradually
filthy	inspect	suspicious
odor	owner	typhoid
disease	refuse	mosquitoes
spread	fault	millions

1013

industry	modern	requires
common	spirit	industrious
interest	respect	appreciate
capital and labor	proceed with	difficulty

1014

treason		death
justice		dealt
treacherous	battle	enemy
villain	desert	secret
patriot	fought	hidden
		nowhere
		discovered
		surround

1015

punctual	punctuality	regular
scholar	satisfied	knowledge
earnest	occasionally	application
a man of good principles	corrected his	mistake
		parents
		professor

Before you leave any piece of written work, make sure that every word is spelled correctly.

1016

conquer		rushed	
conquered		forth	
siege	guard	damage	captain
ammunition	pursued	attack	dashed
defend	in vain	destroy	

1017

cocoa	luncheon		stew
beefsteak	raspberries	niece	crochet
tough	dessert	guest	crocheted
vegetables	bouquet	linen	fancy

1018

pardon	prayer		holy
preacher	church	innocent	advice
missionary	taper	attended	absence
worship	heaven	returned	speak

1019

courage		trait	
courteous		French	
republic	doubt	region	relieved
representative	force	losing	disappointed
protect	hoped	possibly	improved

1020

Review the words in your spelling pocket. Ask some one to test you on them.

1021

venture	achieve	achieving
Arctic	voyage	necessary
discover	Pacific	principal
modern	southern	distance
		navy
		easier
		course

1022

neighborhood	improvement	satisfactory
gutter	exhibit	repaired
filthy	collect	disappeared
inspected	requires	sually
		advise
		thrown out
		nuisance

1023

sensible	judgment	direct
industry	regular	bargain
opportunity	special	strike
superintendent	agreed	dealt
		committee
		manufacturing
		justice

1024

control		false
excitement		report
treason	journal	height
death	publish	khaki
accused	statement	seize
		depot
		freight
		eighty

1025

custom		dictation
customary		definition
punctual	excel	examples
perfect	excellent	grammar
polite	prepared	commenced
		success
		deserve
		difficulty

1026

confess	sorrow	disobey	
absence	pardon	mistake	advice
punctuality	anxious	ignorant	certain
from this time forth		have shown him how	

1027

	noodles		stewed
	dumpling		stewing
luncheon	bacon	cheap	restaurant
cocoa	catsup	plenty	sandwich

1028

	patience		shield
	endure		shielding
courage	prayer	village	population
conquer	dying	French	possession
conquered	holy	upheld	wonderful

1029

	feminine	flatter	tact
courteous	angel	guest	wedding
repeat	no one	veil	photograph
finest gifts		natural trait	

1030

amusement	popular	society	
excursion	motor	carriage	scenery
traveler	chauffeur	journey	nature
traveled	puncture	especially	choose

Never try to spell a word until you know its meaning.
Look it up in the dictionary.

1031

honor	deceive	impossible	
venture	lawyer	cashier	burglar
villain	judge	innocent	jail
treacherous	defend	arrested	descend

1032

encourage		rivalry	
encouraged		probably	
neighborhood	develop	spirit	route
improvement	achieve	earnest	main
procession	arranged	group	proceed

1033

employ	fortunate	fairly	
factory	interested	tact	knowledge
superintendent	achieving	direct	judgment
a sensible custom	fitted for the position		
good business principles			

1034

canvas		construct	
convenient		easily	
swimming	beach	customary	woolen
drowned	excitement	satisfactory	blanket
a false alarm	launched the canoe		
wasn't an accident			

1035

Get ready for a test on the words in your spelling pocket.

1036

confessed	disobeyed	supposed
confess	scholar	though
disobey	speller	meant
apologize	improved	compare
		dictation
		definition
		exercise

1037

recipe	custard	delicious
sugar	dessert	feast
chocolate	flavor	choice
		cereals
		spoonful

1038

sprain	inflamed
sprained	suffer
patience	shield
endured	shielding
arrived	protect
	using
	bandage
	linen
	bicycle
	siege
	swollen

1039

event	festival	gayety
society	woman	couple
amusement	vain	group
feminine	flatter	gentlemen
		bouquet
		jewels
		precious

1040

gymnastic	apparatus
gymnastics	pulleys
popular	muscles
athletic	breathing
athletics	control
	weight
	correct
	important
	health
	strength
	benefit

The suggestions on page 2 will help you to overcome your spelling difficulties. Read them. **Make this method of study and review a habit.**

1041

foreigner	grateful	privilege	
region	courage	republic	children
missionary	encouraged	justice	fortunate

1042

tennis	opposite	opponent	
honors	tried	sport	single
rivalry	where	Thursday	double
athletic	between	holiday	forty
the side that won		upon coming here	

1043

	dispute		organize
	settle		organized
employed	easily	industry	representative
advised	fairly	modern	committee
deceived	probably	regular	independent

1044

central	entrance	elevator	
punctual	convenient	weren't	Tuesday
promised	inquire	there	forenoon
disappointed	anxious	until	minutes

1045

grumble	impatient	stubborn	
nuisance	allowed	motor	couldn't
thought	disobeyed	isn't	maybe
was thrown off		sprained his ankle	

Read again everything that is printed on your spelling pocket in the back of this book.

1046

omit omitted		regret regretted	
confessed	treason	judgment	journal
supposed	pardon	impossible	statement

1047

liquid		mold		strain	
custard	raspberries	weigh	half		
delicious	recipe	scales	enough		

1048

cripple		wheeled		unable	
suffered	crutches	doctor	cause		
improved	dropped	hospital	engine		
grateful	stopped	necessary	caught		

1049

social		occasion		opera	
event	curtain	musician	audience		
festival	aisle	program	courteous		
gayety	finally	gathered	appreciate		

1050

Select six to twelve words from this page which you think are really difficult. Be prepared to give reasons for your selections.

1051

machinist	thorough	experience
furnace	steam	loose
satisfactory	pulleys	wrench
inspect	leather	tools
		apparatus
		elevator
		machinery

1052

Russian	Spanish	Scotch
foreigner	country	organize
privilege	separate	society
	people	population
		neighborhood
		improvement

1053

advantage	rival	splendid
opposite	permit	Wednesday
tennis	achieve	neither
opponent	deliver	assistance
		farther
		straight
		guard

1054

expense	immediately	reduce
sensible	earned	nickel
grumble	afford	borrowed
dispute	spend	debt
		cereals
		groceries
		articles

1055

concert	gallery	occupy
opera	theater	cheap
entrance	admission	afford
	central	attended
		occasionally
		program

Are you keeping a list of all the common words which you have misspelled or which have been especially difficult for you to learn? Review these words again and again until you have surely mastered them.

1056

nonsense		provoke	
mischievous		provoked	
mischievous	patient	mirror	bored
confess	impatience	bureau	hole
regret	tact	painted	won't

1057

import		extract	vanilla
export	wheat	liquid	commerce
supply	tobacco	copper	countries
raised	cotton	different	machinery

1058

drawn		cramp	cramped
cripple	torture	ache	faint
shield	shoulder	hasn't	unable
had lain there since		had scarcely raised	

1059

struggle		struggled	severe
stubborn	strain	prairie	animal
shielding	elbow	broad	wild
traveler	attacked	conquered	

1060

wreath		wither	
fragrant		decay	
omit	beautiful	odor	fastened
omitted	blossoms	gathered	decorated
probably		arranged	

It is uneconomical to attempt to learn to spell a word before you have learned its meaning and use.

1061

widow	orphan	mourning	
experience	gifts	collect	clothing
assistance	either	enclosed	folks
death	least	grateful	relieved

1062

pronunciation	proper	particular	
Russian	attempt	error	again
Scotch	dictation	aloud	tried
Spanish	beginning	can't	learned

1063

miser	shrewd	saving	
expense	can't	bargain	debt
reduce	afford	cheap	receipt
machinist	account	articles	easily

1064

deal		honesty	
dealing		imperative	
honest	answered	advertisement	write
thorough	rival	application	reference
advantage	deceived	respectfully	business

1065

This is another day for review. Study again the words in your spelling pocket.

1066

guitar	violin	stage
occupy	concert	audience
immediately	gallery	musician
splendid	gayety	popular

1067

curiosity	hint	ridiculous
nonsense	provoke	guess
mischievous	confessed	guessed
heard the rumor	maybe	wasn't true

1068

headache	camphor	generally
cramp	inflamm	basin
severe	remedy	bandage
suffer	extracted	sure

1069

grizzly	huge	steel
furious	gaping	trap
struggle	seized	attempt
provoke	sprained	impossible
		afraid
		surely

1070

arbor	shears
twine	tying
wither	peony
decay	fragrant
festival	shrub
especially	height

Have you made it a rule to look up in the dictionary any word which you need to use in writing and which you are not sure you can spell correctly?

1071

casket	cemetery	tomb
wreath	widow	grief
funeral	orphan	mourning
attended	buried	carriage
		entrance

1072

parrot	amuse
talkative	amusing
pronunciation	sense
ridiculous	proper
chattering	dumb
	perched
	headache
	provoked
	neighbors
	impatient
	welcome

1073

jury	witness	trial
villain	lawyer	curiosity
miser	opponent	rumor
shrewd	privilege	interested
		justice
		innocent
		pardon

1074

dealer	poultry	beauties
deal	customer	occasionally
dealing	honesty	particular
	willing	
	obliged	

1075

compliment	reward	suitable
social	guitar	omit
occasion	violin	omitted
foreigner	judgment	would
		regret

You should review every difficult word with a frequency which corresponds to the degree of its difficulty for you.

Are you using your spelling pocket to remind you of the words which need frequent review?

1076

ostrich	female	coconut		
huge	gaping	came	their	remain
eggs	mouths	forth	feathers	usually
laid in the sand of the desert				

1077

yeast	indigestible	knead		
flour	biscuits	bread		
stewed	sieve	recipe	lard	vanilla
stewing	tough	saving	mold	liquid

1078

consider	tuberculosis		
considered	contagious		
supposed	develop	cough	among
imperative	siege	pneumonia	have to
generally	stubborn	disease	doesn't

1079

tremble	trembled	fear	
grizzly	animal	fierce	strain
pursued	furious	shrieked	great

1080

Look over the last five pages. Study again any words which have been difficult for you to learn.

1081

	cedar		entirely
	arbor		parallel
tomb	width	wide	construct
cemetery	forty	border	expense
	straight through		came there

1082

	locket	valuables	sparkle
casket	gifts	niece	to-night
jewels	presents	given	candles
	precious		birthday

1083

	flight	occur	occurred
witness	descend	region	difficulty
airplane	experience	prairie	courage
trial	voyage	level	splendid

1084

	outrage	commit	recently
severe	thorough	considered	officer
struggle	search	innocent	arrest
	immediately	treacherous	coward

1085

	debate	disagree	doubtless
jury	proceed	sense	speaking
judge	consider	doubt	further
judgment	decide	probably	express

How should you study a new word? How should you review a hard word?

1086

	milliner		satin
	millinery		velvet
dealer	ostrich	veil	madam
samples	beauties	tying	bought
	suitable material	stand wear and tear	

1087

	cordially	introduce	entertain
talkative	social	friend	grammar
compliment	visitor	remark	composition
	mischievous	good-by	

1088

	housekeeper		chores
	helper		helpful
sieve	poultry	basin	apparatus
yeast	plump	parrot	shears
knead	twine	female	convenient

1089

	victim	pitiful	moaned
disease	fever	thirsty	broth
contagious	nurse	trembled	typhoid

1090

	prophet		future
	prophecy		hopeful
know	certainly	trouble	coming
believe	to-morrow	missionary	forward

Remember that you should strike from the list in your spelling pocket all the words you have mastered by frequent review.

Always look over carefully every piece of written work you do, to make sure that all the words are spelled correctly.

1091

	vacant		echo
	lonely		echoes
eaves	stream	dim	mysterious
decay	border	secret	entirely
hidden	searched	awful	frightened

1092

	parcel	delivery	delay
locket	recently	error	beginning
valuable	anxious	gifts	contained

1093

	title	tyrant	royal
victim	flight	abused	crown
outrage	imperative	cruel	loss
commit	therefore	furious	right

1094

	dye		streaked
	dyeing		became
milliner	satin	wreath	helper
millinery	sparkle	mourning	particular

1095

Are there any words in the last fifteen lessons which are still hard for you? If so, study them again.

1096

	reunion		forgotten
	former		recollect
annually	birthday	honor	guitar
occur	February	society	athletics
entertain	occurred	cordially	khaki

1097

	wring	wringer	sink
laundry	sheets	doubtless	chores
machine	linen	helpful	regular
electric	clothes	generally	busy

1098

	veins	thirst	palm
moaned	measles	stomach	pneumonia
hopeful	breath	hospital	temperature
pitiful	steady	typhoid	impossible

1099

	congress	govern	support
introduce	articles	proper	union
debate	dealing	disagree	scheme
	sound principles	the national capital	

1100

	annex	territory	neighboring
future	rumor	royal	cities
tyrant	treason	treasure	navy

When you have so trained yourself that you will not allow yourself to leave a piece of written work until you know the spelling is correct, you may be said to have a good "spelling conscience."

1101

horror	imaginary	timid
lonely	tremble	breathed
vacant	cemetery	deceived
		scarcely

1102

frequent	worrying	failure
delay	honesty	fixing
delivery	supposed	blame
forgotten	loss	omitted
	sometimes	

1103

chapter	topic	twentieth
title	treasure	occasion
author	mysterious	disappointed
former	hidden	sorrow
pirate		
beach		
disappeared		

1104

twilight	silent	peaceful
cloud	height	color
autumn	Pacific	streaked
	dye	
	dyeing	

1105

climate	temperate	torrid
cyclone	cities	blown
temperature	damage	wheeled
lightning	terrible	became
	August	
	fourth	
	Wednesday	

Checking your spelling papers is not correcting your misspellings. Checking only locates the errors. The actual correction of an error calls for **re-study** and **review** and above all else it calls for **practice in writing the word in correct form.**

Read again everything that is printed on your spelling pocket in the back of this book.

1106

effort	united	persuade
congress	annex	trial
support	territory	control
govern	neighboring	decide
		national
		independence
		reunion

1107

refrigerator	faucet	enamel
apron	clean	yeast
wringer	should	bread
sink	wear	knead
		thirst
		poultry
		parcel

1108

skeleton	human	wretched
veins	trembled	missionary
palm	tuberculosis	possession
		wring
		tears

1109

filing	system	complete
account	typewriter	cashier
balanced	writing	recollect
	business	secretary
		receipt
		signed

1110

Have you mastered a method for learning the new words which you will need to use in writing after leaving school? Review the method of study given on page 2.

1111

discharge	dishonest	disgrace	
valuable	failure	grief	thief
articles	worrying	shrewd	steal
possession	recently	occur	deny

1112

cartridge	emergency	supplied	
peaceful	soldiers	station	opposite
silent	surround	conductor	outrage
frequent	attacked	captain	flight

1113

shudder		object	
shuddered		horrible	
twilight	timid	villain	imaginary
lonesome	afraid	seized	occurred

1114

include	index	summary	
chapter	catalog	magazine	events
topic	reference	usually	current

1115

sleet	disagreeable	drizzle	
climate	pneumonia	sweater	twentieth
temperate	wretched	February	fifth

You cannot be sure that you have permanently mastered a given word until for a considerable period of time you have been able to write the word correctly without conscious attention to the order of its letters.

1116

entire	district	urge
effort	jury	elected
united	reward	their
complete	suitable	committee
		governor
		popular
		candidate

1117

tidy	household	cozy
bureau	radiator	current
servant	refrigerator	electric
crochet	systems	candles
		faucet
		enamel
		don't

1118

interrupt	discuss	instantly
persuade	speaking	speech
object	impatient	guest
	judge	chief
		mention
		introduce

1119

dwarf	peculiar	scarcely
museum	parrot	described
catalog	skeleton	royal
		woolly
		clothing

1120

Do you know what a reading vocabulary is? A hearing vocabulary? A speaking vocabulary? A writing vocabulary? In which of these vocabularies do you need to use **spelling**?

Review the abbreviations on page 84.

Are you using your spelling pocket to remind you of the words which need frequent review?

1121

truthful	falsehood	examine	
dishonest	punctuality	admit	repeat
disgrace	experience	dismiss	truly
ridiculous	on the contrary	deceived	

1122

weapon	moment	flash	
discharge	echo	territory	sword
whizzed	district	surround	emergency
cartridge	entire	immediately	terrible

1123

immense	coiled	striped	
horrible	examined	veins	scales
shuddered	streaked	contract	tough

1124

drizzling	snowy		
furious	sleet	collar	umbrella
severe	February	sweater	canvas

1125

Review the words in your spelling pocket and any other words in the last fifteen lessons which have been hard for you.

1126

	stare		rude
	stared		resent
interrupt	snub	don't	respect
disagreeable	snubbed	urge	jealous
too saucy		There is no excuse.	

1127

	cushion	embroidery	effect
tidy	crocheted	velvet	piece
cozy	examined	initial	plush

1128

	cancel	cancellation	factor
index	settled	guess	eraser
summary	forgotten	guessed	support
knew where the error had been made			

1129

	sphere	surface	curved
halves	break	different	central
fourth	separate	beginning	figure

1130

	mustache	features	homely
peddler	foreigner	instantly	peculiar
dwarf	recollect	cordially	supplied
a hoarse voice		a pair of trousers	

Your spelling is your own personal problem. It is not so important that you excel other pupils as it is that you surpass from day to day your own previous spelling record.

1131

	breadth	depth	height
tools	fountain	liquid	form
cement	broad	filmy	mold

1132

	deed	evil	hinder
weapon	forward	express	excursion
timid	truthful	dared	Wednesday
dared	generally	engineer	conductor

1133

	wrestle	wrestling	wrestler
immense	title	coiled	candidate
athletic	moment	whizzed	photograph

1134

	drought	sprinkle	sprinkling
seven	torrid	thirst	crops
scarcely	temperate	worrying	agriculture
drizzle	temperature	wretched	fertile

1135

	peevish	wrinkles	
	continually	complain	
imaginary	rude	homely	didn't
contrary	frown	falsehood	shed
persuade	brow	effect	tears

Correct pronunciation—both heard and practiced—
with distinct enunciation of syllables is an aid in learning
to spell.

1136

staring	vulgar	offend
stare	resent	wonder
stared	object	group
	beggar	
	mustache	

1137

skirt	ruffle	muslin
petticoat	embroidery	snowy
a great deal of work		too coarse
		striped

1138

division	dividing	dividend
cancel	factor	almost
cancellation	allowed	always
		awfully
		because

1139

diagram	accurate	carefully
surface	opposite	difference
curved	parallel	compare
		barrel
		easily

1140

There are approximately a half million words in our language. Which of all these words do you need to learn to spell? How rapidly is your writing vocabulary growing?

1141

wholly	unconscious	recover
cushion	basin	coarse
wrestler	sprinkle	towel
		deed
		breathe

1142

trickle	moist	ooze
drought	surface	creek
orchard	fertile	shallow
		source
		requires

1143

glycerine	syringe	gargle
throat	sure	licorice
hoarse	remedy	vaseline
	complain	continually
		ache
		hinder

1144

you'll	request	permit
excuse	respectfully	trouble
please	privilege	occasion
		didn't
		mention

1145

conduct	complaint
selfish	dissatisfied
staring	offend
vulgar	interrupt
	peevish
	disagreeable
	elbow
	sprained

Much faulty spelling is due to mispronunciation. Don't attempt to spell a word orally or in writing until you are sure you can pronounce it correctly.

1146

racket		loudly	usually
echoes	mischief	motor	chauffeur
silent	mischievous	gasoline	athletics

1147

gingham		tape	overlap
skirt	collar	pattern	breadth
muslin	sleeves	scissors	wrinkle
a neat seam		don't tear it	

1148

triangle		ratio	radius
principal	dividend	solved	practice
interest	notice	determined	accepted

1149

science		distant	telescope
sphere	division	accurate	apparatus
diagram	entire	thorough	professor
earth	peculiar	judge	reference

1150

acid		destroyed	trace
contained	poison	carefully	evil
supplied	liquid	severe	effects

Pay particular attention to the pronunciation of the following words: **mischievous, gasoline, chauffeur, athletics, pattern, accepted, reference, and liquid.**

1151

	seize	deceive	weird
height	receipt	foreigner	veins
eighty	receive	neighborhood	already

1152

	snail	horrid	easily
nature	possession	temperature	justice
timid	impossible	torrid	principles

1153

	mischief	siege	achieve
inconvenient	shield	mischievous	society
impatient	sieve	patience	supplied
niece	grief	audience	believe

1154

	modest	blushed	crimson
request	truthful	beauty	family
permit	supposed	shy	photograph

1155

List for your spelling pocket four words which may not have occurred in your spelling lessons, but which **you** would like to add to your writing vocabulary.

Be alert to recognize and to master new words which you have need for them in your writing.

1156

tube	turpentine	linen
syringe	glycerine	shoulder
gargle	alcohol	blade
	medicine	
	tongue	

1157

flannel	fleecy	shrink
crochet	French	petticoat
crocheted	seam	woolly
		rinsed
	peddler	

1158

exact	estimate	thus
telescope	sphere	carefully
distance	position	accurately
	distant	
	measure	

1159

poetry	literature	educate
science	quotation	summary
scholar	knowledge	include
discuss	thorough	graduated
	poem	
	verse	
	title	

1160

families	wealthy	suburbs
trace	occur	garage
destroyed	occurred	automobile
immense	expense	chauffeur
	burglar	
	weapon	
	wrench	

If there is any word in these lessons about the correct syllabication of which you are in doubt, look it up in the dictionary. You will then know how the word may be divided if necessary at the end of a line.

Have you made it a rule never to leave a piece of written work until you are sure every word is spelled correctly?

1161

treason	treacherous	easily	
breadth	streaked	wreath	beauties
earnest	weapon	death	feature
peaceful	wealthy	dealt	knead

1162

courage	courteous	courageous	
drought	doubtless	group	poultry
route	encourage	surround	thorough
journal	mourning	outrage	tough

1163

delicate	ordinary	innocent	
modest	fear	staring	threaten
blushed	jealous	offend	insult

1164

depot	Pacific	Atlantic	
estimate	breadth	president	countries
exact	width	secretary	independent

1165

simply	wholly	immediately	
prophet	airplane	commerce	possible
prophecy	gasoline	import	doubtless

When you study the new words in this lesson, be sure to take all the steps given on page 2.

Are you making it a rule to look up in the dictionary all words which you need to use in writing and which you are not sure you can spell?

1166

boarding	warp	warped	
board	surface	turpentine	clean
rough	ceiling	acid	build
shrink	building	cement	stain

1167

supplied	siege		
horrid	control	science	cartridge
destroyed	conquer	deeds	carefully

1168

cemetery	experience	independence	
judgment	descend	opposite	missionary
innocent	develop	principles	population
grateful	occurred	privilege	possession

1169

local	dealer	supplied	
suburb	expense	convenient	poultry
families	wealthy	complain	restaurant

1170

Select from the following review list any words which have been hard for you and all words that you are not sure you can spell. Study them again and prepare for a test on them.

Review List

absence	arbor	canvas	considered
accept	arctic	capital	contained
accident	athletics	cartridge	continually
account	attacked	celebrated	contrary
accurate	audience	cemetery	control
achieve	August	central	convenient
action	author	chauffeur	cordially
address	autumn	choice	courage
advertisement	aviator	climate	courteous
airplane	bargain	cocoa	credit
allowed	because	column	crimson
all right	beginning	commit	cushion
already	believed	committee	custom
although	benefited	complain	customary
amusement	bouquet	complaint	deal
annually	breadth	complete	dealt
answered	burglar	compliment	death
anxious	business	concert	deceive
apologize	calendar	conduct	decided
apparatus	cancel	confessed	definition
application	cancellation	congress	delicious
appreciate	candidate	conquered	delivery

depth	election	frequent	industry
descend	elevator	furious	initial
description	embroidery	future	innocent
destroyed	encouraged	garage	interested
develop	entertain	gasoline	interrupt
difficulty	entirely	generally	introduce
direct	entrance	government	jealous
direction	especially	governor	journey
disagree	estimate	gradually	judgment
disappeared	excel	graduated	justice
disappointed	excitement	grateful	kerosene
discovered	excursion	guess	knowledge
discuss	exercise	height	linen
disease	exhibit	honor	liquid
disgrace	expense	horrible	literature
dishonest	experience	hospital	luncheon
disobeyed	explanation	illustrated	machinery
dissatisfied	factory	imaginary	manufacture
district	failure	immediately	measured
disturbed	favorite	immense	mentioned
doubtless	feature	impatient	mischief
earnest	February	imperative	mischievous
easily	fertile	important	modern
echoes	finally	impossible	motor
educate	foreign	improvement	mysterious
effect	forth	include	natural
effort	fortunate	independent	necessary
eighty	fragrant	industrious	neighbors

niece	possible	restaurant	suitable
nonsense	president	ridiculous	superintendent
noticed	principal	route	support
nuisance	principle	royal	supposed
object	privilege	rumor	surface
occasion	probably	satisfactory	surprised
occasionally	proceed	scholar	surrounded
occurred	procession	scarcely	suspicious
omit	program	scene	system
opponent	pronunciation	scenery	temperate
opportunity	proper	scheme	temperature
opposite	punctual	scissors	thorough
ordinary	puncture	searched	timid
organized	pursued	season	toward
oxygen	recently	seize	treacherous
pardon	receipt	sensible	Tuesday
parallel	received	separate	unconscious
particular	recipe	several	usually
patience	reference	severe	valuable
peculiar	region	shrewd	villain
peddler	regret	siege	visitors
people	regular	signature	voyage
persuade	repaired	sincerely	wealthy
pneumonia	representative	society	weapon
popular	republic	sorrow	weather
population	request	special	Wednesday
position	require	succeed	whether
possession	respectfully	successful	wholly

THE
SPELL-TO-WRITE
SPELLING BOOKS



BOOK FOUR

EIGHTH YEAR

TO THE PUPIL WHO USES THIS BOOK:

If you will follow these suggestions, correct spelling will become easy for you—and habitual.

This is the way to **study** a spelling word:

1. Look at the word carefully. If it is unfamiliar to you look up its meaning and pronunciation.
2. Pronounce the word correctly and distinctly.
3. Spell it several times, pronouncing each letter and paying close attention to the order of the letters.
4. Close your eyes and try to picture to yourself the word as it appears when written correctly; then look at the word carefully to see whether the "picture" was correct in detail.
5. Write the word, pronouncing (to yourself) each letter as you write it.

This is the way to **review** a difficult word:

1. Write it on a list which you will keep in the pocket in the back of this book.
2. **Study** it again and again, following the suggestions given above.
3. Test yourself on it often.

Never guess at the spelling of a word. If you are not sure, look it up in the dictionary before you write it.

Never leave a piece of written work until you are sure that every word is spelled correctly.

Try each day and each week to beat your own previous spelling record.

1171

Begin this year's work with a determination to complete your mastery of the spelling of the "words commonly used in writing." If you are not a good speller, try to find out why you are not. Do you know how to study? Do you review persistently the words which are hard for you? Are you careful about your written work? Do you use your spelling pocket? Study page 44 carefully.

1172

	comfort		salary
	comfortable		provide
advantage	expense	savings	enough
carefully	include	whole	earned
convenient	require	reduce	whether

1173

	behavior	irritate	discipline
conduct	grumble	courteous	patience
disagreeable	loudly	impatient	offend
control	temper	interrupt	persuade

1174

	frontier	neutral	opposed
courage	effort	horrible	patriot
defend	emergency	impossible	occupy
protect	endure	destroyed	border

1175

	symptoms	diphtheria	quarantine
contagious	tuberculosis	ache	immediately
severe	disease	inflamed	especially
consider	headache	gargle	exhibit

1176

campaign	political	official
district	committee	people
local	representative	ballot
population	candidate	office
		elected
		complete
		disagree

1177

famous	genius	extraordinary
concert	violin	February
foreigner	stage	fourth
Russian	theater	attended
		musician
		program
		compliment

1178

dawn	horizon	appeared
color	scene	mountain
crimson	peaceful	summit
streaked	pleasant	weather
		valley
		moist
		entire

1179

disguise	familiar	recognize
features	reunion	cordially
feminine	former	among
recollect	forgotten	friends
		curiosity
		introduce
		instantly

1180

education	ambition	career
discipline	educated	scholar
knowledge	fortunate	learned
privilege	considered	achieved
		initial
		interested
		develop

Reviews of words which present any real difficulties should be frequent and should be continued over a considerable period of time at intervals of increasing length.

Correct pronunciation—both heard and practiced—
with distinct enunciation of syllables is an aid in learning
to spell.

1181

mortgage	interest	due	sheriff
salary	business	easily	principal
provide	cancel	failure	punctual
comfort	borrow	ordinary	probably

1182

deceitful	overbearing	reprove
behavior	deceive	truthful
irritate	insult	false
provoke	pardon	either
		their
		statement
		regret

1183

preparatory	declaration	preparation
frontier	seize	outrage
neutral	conquer	hinder
organize	annex	doubtless
		modern
		imperative
		helpful

1184

sanitary	ventilation
incomplete	ventilate
symptoms	experience
diphtheria	quarantine
a great deal	severe
	generally
	linen
	canvas
	easily deceived

1185

Get ready for a test on words in your spelling pocket.

1186

convention		politics	
preliminary		executive	
election	honor	division	national
campaign	political	population	occur
excitement	official	organized	opposed

1187

matinee	performance	attendance	
genius	Wednesday	opera	occasion
famous	popular	gallery	festival
appear	recognize	vacant	guitar

1188

atmosphere	eclipse	partial	
dawn	dense	effect	recently
horizon	entire	opposite	scarcely
discovery	extraordinary	occurred	

1189

appearance		masculine	
personal		handsome	
peculiar	title	wrestle	mustache
particular	athletic	wrestling	familiar
description	athlete	weight	because

1190

college	university	scholarship	
education	science	literature	pursued
ambition	athletics	poetry	regular
career	professor	ordinary	complete

Have you made it a rule never to leave a piece of written work until you are sure every word is spelled correctly?

1191

insurance	premium	percentage	
mortgage	permit	miser	forty
offered	finally	shrewd	deed
received	sheriff	omit	cancel
payment was due		until paid	

1192

conceit		impudent	
conceited		dislike	
deceitful	falsehood	disguise	modest
overbearing	reprove	proper	rude
provoked	resent	regretted	instead

1193

alliance		expedition	
abroad		render	
declaration	voyage	weapon	assistance
preliminary	inspect	khaki	immediately
incomplete	direct	seized	preparatory

1194

physician		operation	
appendicitis		miracle	
sanitary	preparation	prepare	siege
ventilate	difficulty	carefully	skeleton
ventilation	recover	proceed	mere

1195

citizen	intelligent	influence	
convention	governor	politics	factor
candidate	executive	attendance	always
independent	personal	persuade	choose

Are you keeping a list of the words you have misspelled?
How often do you review it?

1196

	quartet		orchestra
	choir		combination
feature	request	favorite	matinee
usual	again	eclipse	performance
omitted	which	entertain	appearance

1197

	moisture		frigid
	degree		changeable
atmosphere	drizzle	arctic	region
curtain	Tuesday	temperature	airplane
dense	entirely	severe	descend

1198

	distinguished	bearing	noble
masculine	captain	procession	route
spirit	company	royal	column
discipline	handsome	wonderful	guard

1199

	commencement		essay
	diploma		oration
graduate	university	vacation	scholarship
scholar	college	to-morrow	splendid
excel	course	appreciate	closing

1200

Review once again the words which have been hardest
for you.

1201

income	commercial	financial
insurance	salary	expense
premium	percentage	support
rate	provide	estimate
		excellent
		although
		scarcely

1202

sarcastic	annoyed	reproof
conceited	nonsense	helper
impudent	obedient	housekeeper
irritate	dislike	chores
		busy
		sensible
		satisfied

1203

power		associate
unite		triple
frontier	region	abroad
occupy	neutral	grief
conquered	siege	destroyed
		combination
		alliance
		expedition

1204

inflammation	exhausted	relief
physician	stomach	effect
operation	symptoms	comfort
miracle	appendicitis	gradually
		render
		moaned
		camphor

1205

represent		community
majority		democracy
citizen	campaign	republic
intelligent	political	official
influence	representative	govern
		principles
		privileges
		consider

Remember that you should strike from the list in your spelling pocket all the words you have mastered by frequent review.

		1206	
art		artist	medal
genius	career	dawn	choir
famous	rival	perfect	quartet
already	succeed	certainly	honor

		1207	
daybreak		glimpse	earliest
await	frigid	horizon	coming
view	moisture	compare	through
changeable	drizzling	separate	where

		1208	
banquet		anniversary	souvenir
orchestra	delicious	celebration	oration
eighty	occurred	compliment	to-night
appeared	festival	distinguished	familiar

		1209	
literary		profession	probable
degree	rivalry	ambition	writing
commencement	object	extraordinary	reward
diploma	noble	education	excel

		1210	
	discuss		emphasize
	discussed		emphasized
subject	prairie	commerce	countries
essay	agriculture	manufactured	forests
chosen	bearing	opposed	scenery

Since the habit of spelling a given word correctly is a purely personal habit, you must acquire it by your own efforts. It cannot be given to you by anyone else.

1211

assessor		taxes	impose
income	mortgage	commercial	merely
fortune	settle	financial	regular
wealthy	comfortable	cancellation	satisfactory

1212

	absurd		embarrass
	blunder		embarrassed
innocent	disgrace	dishonest	sarcastic
annoyed	reproof	discharge	deceitful
	omitted	due to carelessness	

1213

	strengthen		connect
	strengthened		connection
overbearing	power	declaration	democracy
struggled	unite	preparation	justice
stubborn	relief	incomplete	conquered

1214

	neuralgia		affect
	sensitive		affected
hoarse	diphtheria	ventilate	atmosphere
exhausted	contagious	sanitary	ventilation
inflammation	quarantine	probably	immediately

1215

Look over carefully the first page of the review list at the end of the seventh year in this book. Re-study any words which you are not sure you have mastered.

1216

census		increase	
public		greatly	
population	community	sheriff	particular
neighborhood	majority	politics	generally
dense	immense	publish	recently

1217

cartoon	comical	ridicule	
represent	appearance	souvenir	artist
emphasize	personal	disguise	flatter
ridiculous	homely	masculine	drawn

1218

insect	instinct	itself	
daybreak	fragrant	heaven	thirst
glimpse	gaping	height	stream
earliest	fleecy	flight	timid

1219

wealth		extreme	
extravagant		extremely	
banquet	medal	bureau	neighbors
eclipse	handsome	furniture	their
anniversary	valuable	household	possessions

1220

lecture	discussion	institute	
convention	college	literary	dealt
attendance	university	literature	sometimes
preparatory	profession	illustrate	occurred

How do you decide what words to put on the list in your spelling pocket? When do you drop a word from this list?

1221

humble	circumstances		
decent	respectable		
premium	miser	cause	
insurance	necessary	won't	
embarrassed	impossible	can't	possible

1222

awkward	clumsy	stupid	
sensitive	conceit	failure	encourage
ridicule	conceited	possibly	occasionally
embarrass	ridiculous	don't	improve

1223

boundary		companies	
hostile		distribute	
strengthened	operation	distinguished	miracle
ammunition	impose	disguised	immediately
pursued	connect	connection	parallel

1224

invalid	feeble	paralysis	
affected	cripple	muscles	physician
neuralgia	hospital	rheumatism	appendicitis
strengthened	suffer	straight	delicate

1225

session	legislature	appropriated	
census	public	debate	increase
taxes	executive	oration	institute
assessor	governor	influence	preliminary

Why is the word **governor** frequently misspelled?

1226

physical	humorous	exaggerate	
cartoon	greatly	citizen	famous
comical	easily	journal	meant
absurd	especially	recognize	doubt

1227

accustomed	apparently	arrangement	
insect	surround	color	guard
nature	itself	changing	usually
instinct	shelter	changeable	special

1228

	fashion		elaborate
	display		various
wealth	orchestra	exhibit	dancing
extravagant	luncheon	beautiful	social
extreme	combination	considered	wealthy

1229

argument	suggest	declare	
lecture	system	sphere	telescope
discussion	center	moisture	supposed
thorough	opposite	frigid	extremely

1230

Select from this page for special study, six to ten words which in your judgment are really difficult. Be prepared to give reasons for your selections.

1231

mechanic	ability	advance
circumstances	salary	machinist
humble	financial	opportunity
respectable	decent	determined
		garage
		beginning
		though

1232

intelligence	memory	observed
intelligent	earnest	interested
successful	patience	accustomed
commercial	discipline	you'll
		stupid
		clumsy
		awkward

1233

pursuit	energy	engage
boundary	cartridges	fear
frontier	distributed	hostile
	a false report	companies
		annoyed

1234

pulse	conscious
artery	barely
feeble	paralysis
invalid	inflammation
relief	exhausted
	symptoms
	slept
	scarcely
	veins
	syringe
	lain

1235

senate	repeal
constitution	repealed
legislature	congress
session	government
majority	democracy
	occasion
	extraordinary
	introduce
	chief
	opponent
	community
	the dome of the capitol

1236

	diet		digest
	nourish		digestion
physical	gymnastics	beefsteak	cereals
accustomed	athletic	delicate	poultry
various	develop	indigestible	healthy

1237

	marriage	announce	announcement
fashion	arrangement	quartet	wreath
display	appropriate	choir	satin
elaborate	represent	glimpse	souvenir

1238

	convenience	artificial	artificially
radiator	zinc	trouble	quite
refrigerator	nickel	contain	convenient
electric	faucet	using	apparently

1239

	suggestion	definite	proposed
argument	omit	topic	purpose
suggest	omitted	current	neither
discuss	emphasized	decide	lecture

1240

	criticism		decision
humorous	literary	mischievous	sure
exaggerate	impatient	denied	true
declare	believe	except	all right

Rewriting a hard word any number of times is a waste of effort unless it is done with active attention to its correct spelling.

1241

lodge	accommodate	resort	
boarding	pleasure	holiday	satisfied
convenience	journey	lonely	remain
public	comfortable	cities	benefit

1242

character	capable	recommend	
ability	mechanic	honesty	trial
intelligence	employ	industry	punctual
energy	engage	experience	achieve

1243

remnant	reinforce	repel	
officer	campaign	heroes	pursuit
squad	medal	united	loss
encouraged	connected	action	organized

1244

chloroform		mortal	
quantity		mortally	
artery	sensitive	irritated	horror
pulse	conscious	extremely	unconscious
observe	barely	neuralgia	extreme

1245

What four vocabularies does each of us have occasion to use? In which of them do we require a knowledge of spelling? What words in addition to those in the spelling book should each of us learn to spell? Should all of us necessarily learn to spell the same additional words?

1246

	limit		function
	limited		originally
constitution	dividing	important	senate
proposed	allowed	official	senator
	announced		repealed

1247

	macaroni		nourishment
	sirloin		sufficient
diet	digest	cocoa	delicious
nourish	digestion	luncheon	strengthen
	increase in weight		in connection with

1248

	residence	arrival	reception
entrance	wealth	appeared	earliest
announced	artificial	extravagant	greatly
	wedding		announcement

1249

	incorrect	objection	criticize
object	embarrassed	cartoon	photograph
criticism	comical	ridicule	familiar
suggestion	crimson	embarrass	recognize

1250

	confide	confidence	assure
decision	treason	statement	villain
definite	treacherous	lawyer	judge
proposed	wretched	shield	threaten

It is often a profitable exercise to search for some association to fix the correct spelling of a troublesome word.

1251

inconvenient	inconvenience	temporary	
accommodate	property	owner	possession
recommend	suburbs	widow	privilege
mortgage interest due	under the circumstances		

1252

	civil		secure
	service		secured
character	position	index	neutral
capable	instituted	filing	justice
examine	legislature	assessor	fairly

1253

confederate	desperate	desperately	
resort	dealt	hostile	wounded
reinforce	furious	enemy	mortally
repel	attacked	humble	lodged

1254

illness	weakness	weary	
feeble	pneumonia	nourishment	physician
weak	neuralgia	limit	function
suffered	apparently	chloroform	thoroughly

1255

tariff	according	exception	
limited	discussion	judgment	sufficient
quantity	political	impose	originally
exact estimate	paralysis of trade	invalid rule	

The suggestions on page 44 will help you to overcome your spelling difficulties. Read them. **Make this method of study and review a habit.**

1256

	irregular ceased		remained stationary
apparatus	engine	emergency	caught
pulley	engineer	machinist	struggled
pulleys	elevator	supposed	loose

1257

	produce	asparagus	abundance
macaroni	distribute	various	plenty
poultry	deliver	supplies	cheap
sirloin	delivery	scarce	itself

1258

	affection	relative	intimate
guest	reception	fashion	confidence
welcome	residence	bouquet	remnant
confide	arrival	elaborate	humorous

1259

	emphasis	pause	brief
rehearsal	exaggerate	poem	error
criticized	objection	quotation	earnest
incorrect	assured	recollect	attempt

1260

Look over carefully the second page of the review list at the end of the seventh year in this book. Re-study any words which you are not sure you have mastered.

1261

reduction regulation		compel compelled	
articles	suggest	tariff	result
principles	declare	foreign	material
majority	collect	commercial	barely

1262

refer referred		prefer preferred	
arrangement	inconvenient	bargain	mechanic
convenience	inconvenience	honesty	tools
contract	repaired	engage	wrench

1263

blockade defense		channel chart	
service	pursuit	dense	stationary
confederate	desperate	depth	definite
intelligence	desperately	aboard	received

1264

dread		nervous	nightmare
constitution	energy	physical	weary
illness	pulse	artificial	conscious
weakness	ceased	nourish	easiest

1265

cabinet		member	appoint
according	senate	journal	group
exception	session	profession	favor
temporary	privilege	honor	sincerely

1266

	vault		private
	burial		privately
cemetery	death	relative	diphtheria
secure	mourn	decent	sanitary
appropriate	mourning	artificial	regulation

1267

	salmon		abundant
	sardines		particularly
asparagus	include	coconut	turpentine
produce	import	spice	dye
abundance	provide	cinnamon	immense

1268

	acquaintance		accompany
	agreeable		accompanied
affection	veil	civil	village
marriage	gifts	sensible	absence
married	accept	expect	maybe

1269

	phrase	analyze	modify
summary	definition	grammar	sense
brief	dictation	exercise	pause
irregular	diagram	explanation	observe

1270

	accent	association	acquire
foreign	pronunciation	Spanish	emphasis
easily	difficulty	French	intimate

Review along with this lesson any words which you may have misspelled recently.

1271

eager	duty	concern
really	shielding	treacherous
refer	sought	nervous
referred	discovered	appeared
		worse

1272

ignorance	wisdom	reputation
sober	punctuality	instead
steady	industrious	intelligent
contrary	prefer	preferred
		character
		conceited

1273

skilful	movement	execute
channel	reduction	decision
blockade	seize	arrival
defense	compel	reinforce
		wounded
		mortally
		mortal

1274

treasury	value	considerable
cabinet	private	descend
vault	propose	accompany
ceiling	compelled	hidden
metal		
silent		
dread		

1275

Prepare a list of six words which may not have occurred in your spelling lessons, but which you would like to add to your writing vocabulary.

Be ready to tell why you have chosen such of these particular words.

1276

	entitled		challenged
member	opponent	suggestion	particularly
session	official	accompanied	repealed
appoint	capable	privately	losing

1277

	transplant	transfer	transportation
dealer	quantity	deal	resort
salmon	abundant	supplied	accommodate
sardines	limited	aboard	probably

1278

	manner	pleasing	gracious
trait	acquaintance	function	orchestra
acquire	association	social	attendance
agreeable	society	reception	flatter

1279

	mineral		fiery
	particle		expand
remnant	faucet	liquid	copper
analyze	waste	ooze	mold
modify	extreme	strain	shrink

1280

	comparison	resemble	similar
pronunciation	accent	scholar	phrase
foreign	peculiar	criticize	Scotch

The test of your mastery of a given word is your ability to spell it correctly in writing when your attention is centered chiefly on the expression of a thought and not on the spelling of words.

1281

	conscientious		consequence
	acknowledge		realize
duty	confidence	dealing	eager
ignorance	opportunity	disagreeable	anxious
concern	recognize	discharge	relieved

1282

	calm		serious
	precise		practical
wisdom	organized	union	bargain
reputation	business	superintendent	reckoning
temperate	pursuit	dispute	conceive

1283

	hardship	dreadful	endeavored
transportation	pause	challenge	movement
soldiers	brief	frigid	regulations
miracle	ceased	extremely	advantage

1284

	counterfeit		distinguished
	genuine		practically
treasury	specimen	executed	originally
rascal	value	manner	limit
suspicious	considerable	skilful	relative

1285

	opinion	for instance	idea
nourishment	restaurant	recipe	sirloin
sufficient	macaroni	dessert	chocolate
recommend	asparagus	vanilla	nourishing

You should review every difficult word with a frequency which corresponds to the degree of its difficulty for you.

1286

pension	substantial	retired
entitled	residence	property
assured	lodge	transfer
receipt	cancellation	profession
		connection
		extravagant

1287

hereafter	consideration	prompt
emphasis	irregular	inconvenience
objection	inconvenient	temporary
complaint	discussed	personal
		dealing
		delivery
		parcel

1288

companion	delightful	congenial
gracious	secret	mysterious
pleasing	guessed	disappeared
		intimate
		lonely

1289

laboratory	pulverize	compound
apparatus	acids	comparison
preparation	minerals	similar
university	dyes	resemble
		chloroform
		produce
		particles

1290

This is another day for review. Study again the words in your spelling pocket.

1291

collision	cautioned	responsible	
realize	persuade	victim	nervous
consequence	dangerous	traveler	tried
serious	dreadful	witness	in vain

1292

	haste	observation	
	hasty	however	
acknowledge	venture	carriage	motor
distinguish	direction	axle	gasoline
supposed	sprain	pieces	escaped

1293

disappointment	discouraged	seldom	
calm	trait	appoint	encourage
practical	temperate	practically	worrying
conscientious	fiery	shield	shielding

1294

	affair	attorney	
	curious	investigate	
defense	innocent	prompt	jury
counterfeit	conceive	preliminary	justice
endeavored	guilty	public	pardon

1295

	century	civilize	
	ancient	civilization	
idea	originally	marriage	tyrant
custom	character	women	society
instance	precise	modern	opposite

1296

department	serve	subordinate
consideration	member	system
service	retired	extraordinary
substantial	pension	expand
		salary
		customary
		ordinary

1297

profane	corrupt	disgusted
opinions	selfish	influence
acquired	impatient	acquaintance
associations	itself	particularly
		deceitful
		hereafter
		cease

1298

gentle	lovable	charm
companion	delightful	sensitive
congenial	agreeable	embarrass
	disagreeable	embarrassed
		stared
		tact

1299

crystal		colorless
brittle		transparent
laboratory	compound	glycerine
analyze	artificially	liquid
pulverize	genuine	odor
		changeable
		opposite
		inclosed

1300

jewelry	ornamental	ordinarily
exception	souvenir	delicate
according	handsome	enamel
prefer	preferred	artificial
		collar
		diamond
		precious

Always look over carefully every piece of written work you do, to make sure that all the words are spelled correctly.

1301

trespass	permission	liable
caution	nuisance	destroy
ignorance	public	judgment
seldom	resent	innocent

1302

approached	hastily	hurriedly
procession	pursuit	transportation
proceed	movement	collision
stationary	hasty	channel
	neighboring	haste
		responsible

1303

liberty	revolutionary	aroused
observation	neutral	century
discouraged	strengthen	future
desperate	compelled	ancient
		govern
		hopeful
		venture

1304

robbery	participate	cunning
affair	burglar	vault
attorney	confederate	treasury
investigate	subordinate	transfer
		skilful
		referred
		reward

1305

Look over carefully the review words on pages 39, 40 and 41. Are there any words there which **you** have not yet mastered? Prepare for a test from this list.

1306

cruelty		condemn	uncivilized
human	disgusting	concern	civilize
horror	corrupt	reputation	civilization
outrage	profane	descend	comparison

1307

	leisure		dreary
	murmur		tedious
duty	serve	peevish	amusement
dissatisfied	eager	jealous	humorous
continually	weary	especially	irritate

1308

	complexion		attractive
	complexioned		lovely
gentle	pleasing	skirt	snowy
lovable	modest	ruffle	embroidery
gracious	muslin	suitable	whose

1309

essence	evaporate		spray
crystal	mineral	alcohol	resembled
colorless	particle	extract	ordinarily
transparent	brittle	fragrant	considerable

1310

quality	variety	fine	stationery
department	umbrella	quantity	abundant
jewelry	ornamental	value	abundance
reduction	recommend	increase	curious

Are you making it a rule to look up in the dictionary all words which you need to use in writing and which you are not sure you can spell?

1311

	tempt temptation		hesitate yield
permission gather	trespass steal	trembled afraid	conscientious endeavored

1312

	license	neglect	offense
chauffeur liable consequence	serious prompt complain	limit route excuse	judgment inconvenient inconvenience

1313

	endurance	final	recent
liberty revolutionary participate	republic encouraged strengthened	influence realize similar	limited temporary hereafter

1314

	beneath beyond	prospect regard	inner latter
possession acknowledged approached	robbery burglar cunning	rascal neighborhood hurriedly	hastily parcel valuable

1315

	volume fiction		tale moral
author exception tedious	treasure discovery buried	instance courage entitled	opinion leisure curiosity

1316

utter	misery	sympathy	
cruelty	dreary	aroused	comfort
conceive	horrid	condemned	service
uncivilized	filthy	pitied	murmur

1317

perpendicular	horizontal	vertical	
breadth	tennis	twine	tough
precise	tape	tying	sprinkle
distinguish	racket	stretch	carefully

1318

childish		gay	excited
gayety	companions	complexion	gymnastics
echoes	congenial	lovely	eager

1319

attraction	attendant	delighted	
delightful	variety	attractive	milliner
substantial	quality	genuine	millinery
books and stationery		ostrich feathers	

1320

rumors of war		go forth to fight	
courage	knowledge	frequent	timid
venture	imaginary	gradually	mischievous.
control	interested	furious	deceive

Your spelling is **your own** personal problem. It is not so important that you excel other pupils as it is that you surpass from day to day your own previous spelling record.

1321

soul	conscience	desires
instinct	tempt	hesitate
idea	temptation	yield
liberty	offense	treason
		shudder
		calm
		honor

1322

lengthen	insanitary
license	neglect
transportation	terrible
liable	thrown
	nuisance
	complaint
	hastily

1323

pennant	obtain	obtained
souvenir	reception	ordinarily
endurance	retired	continually
final	participate	entirely

1324

acquainted	presume
observation	society
acquaintance	concern
personal	recommend
	pension
	source
	account

1325

wreck	wrecked	fearful
freight	desperately	burglar
collision	miracle	caution
beneath	doubtless	excited
		volume
		fiction
		tale

Checking your spelling papers is not correcting your misspellings. Checking only locates the errors. The actual correction of an error calls for **re-study** and **review** and above all else it calls for **practice in writing the word in correct form.**

1326

condition	unfortunate	sympathize
misery	ignorance	missionary
sympathy	moral	investigate
consideration	beyond	discourage
		particularly

1327

angle	margin	circular
perpendicular	ratio	surface
horizontal	radius	breadth
vertical	lengthen	division
		accurate

1328

envy	detest	despise
endeavor	peevish	staring
conscientious	selfish	rude
patience	spirit	vulgar
		disappoint
		mischievous
		insanitary

1329

disposed	fully
quality	jewelry
crystal	variety
transparent	ornament
	catalog
	stationery
	museum
	cushion
	linen
	flannel

1330

kindness	goodness	happiness
friendship	attendant	occasion
attraction	courteous	sorrow
delighted	sympathize	mourning
		shown
		wholly
		good

You cannot be sure that you have permanently mastered a given word until for a considerable period of time you have been able to write the word correctly without conscious attention to the order of its letters.

1331

minister		religion	
message		religious	
service	yield	temptation	heart
conscience	corrupt	tempt	soul
assured	profane	presume	being

1332

avoid	prospect	safely	
prevent	regard	lately	
fender	serious	approached	condition
wreck	recent	trespass	hesitate

1333

exert	strenuous	strengthening	
permission	participate	athletics	pennant
prompt	endeavored	approach	desired
hurriedly	discouraged	final	obtained

1334

guardian	adopted	depend	
orphan	children	clothing	gingham
attorney	lovely	woolen	customary
acquainted	lovable	woolly	unfortunate

1335

For to-day's lesson, review any common words which you may have misspelled recently and any words which have been difficult for you to learn. Have you any words in your spelling pocket?

1336

Christ
Christianity

faith
mercy

despised	envy	religion	century
condemned	courage	religious	endurance
murmur	hopeful	belief	prophecy

1337

cylinder	circumference	diameter
vertical	sphere	margin
horizontal	surface	parallel
perpendicular	circular	triangle
		warped
		supported
		fully

1338

chisel	partition
panel	brace
angle	construct
height	lengthen
breadth	dispose
	temporary
	accurate
	beneath
	engine
	stationary
	elevator

1339

gamble	trifle	fickle
disposed	leisure	associations
detect	license	attendant
neglect	offense	disagreeable
	liberty	
	moral	
	misery	

1340

Protestant	Catholic	Jewish
Christ	kindness	civilization
Christianity	happiness	ancient
Christian	goodness	principles
		prophet
		prophecy
		modern

Never try to spell a word until you know its meaning.
Look it up in the dictionary.

1341

faith

sacred

catechism
minister
missionarypraise
worship
prayerconscience
religious
religionsoul
human
develop

1342

fiend

humbug

avoid
preventtyrant
rascaltempt
despiseevil
fearful

1343

statement
initialinclose
inclosedapplication
address
madamgentlemen
courteous
trulyrespect
respectfully
cordiallycalendar
typewriter
signature

1344

clothe

clothed

jacket

guardian
adopted
disposeddepend
responsible
latelysufficient
unfortunate
insanitarydesired
happiness
grateful

1345

territory

colony

settler

improvement
supplied
wholly deserteddrought
withered
separatedying
decaythorough
frequent
no where

In study and review of hard words the emphasis should be upon the parts which present greatest difficulty: for example, the parts of the following words printed in bold face: separate, calendar, parallel.

Have you mastered a method for learning the new words which you will need to use in writing after leaving school? Review the method of study given on page 44.

1346

faith	fiend	despised	behavior
memory	uncivilized	disposed	awkward
sacred	condemned	appeared	pardon

1347

pulleys	radius	vertical	
cylinder	chisel	brittle	angle
circumference	panel	wrecked	circular
diameter	partition	lengthen	central

1348

glisten	scarlet	flimsy	
gamble	fickle	attraction	clothed
trifle	humbug	cautioned	traveler

1349

insane	mutter	pacify	
nervous	misery	condition	wretched
excited	sympathy	guardian	wandered
irritated	kindness	however	voyage

1350

Select from the following review list any words which have been hard for you and all words that you are not sure you can spell. Study them again and prepare for a test on them.

Review List

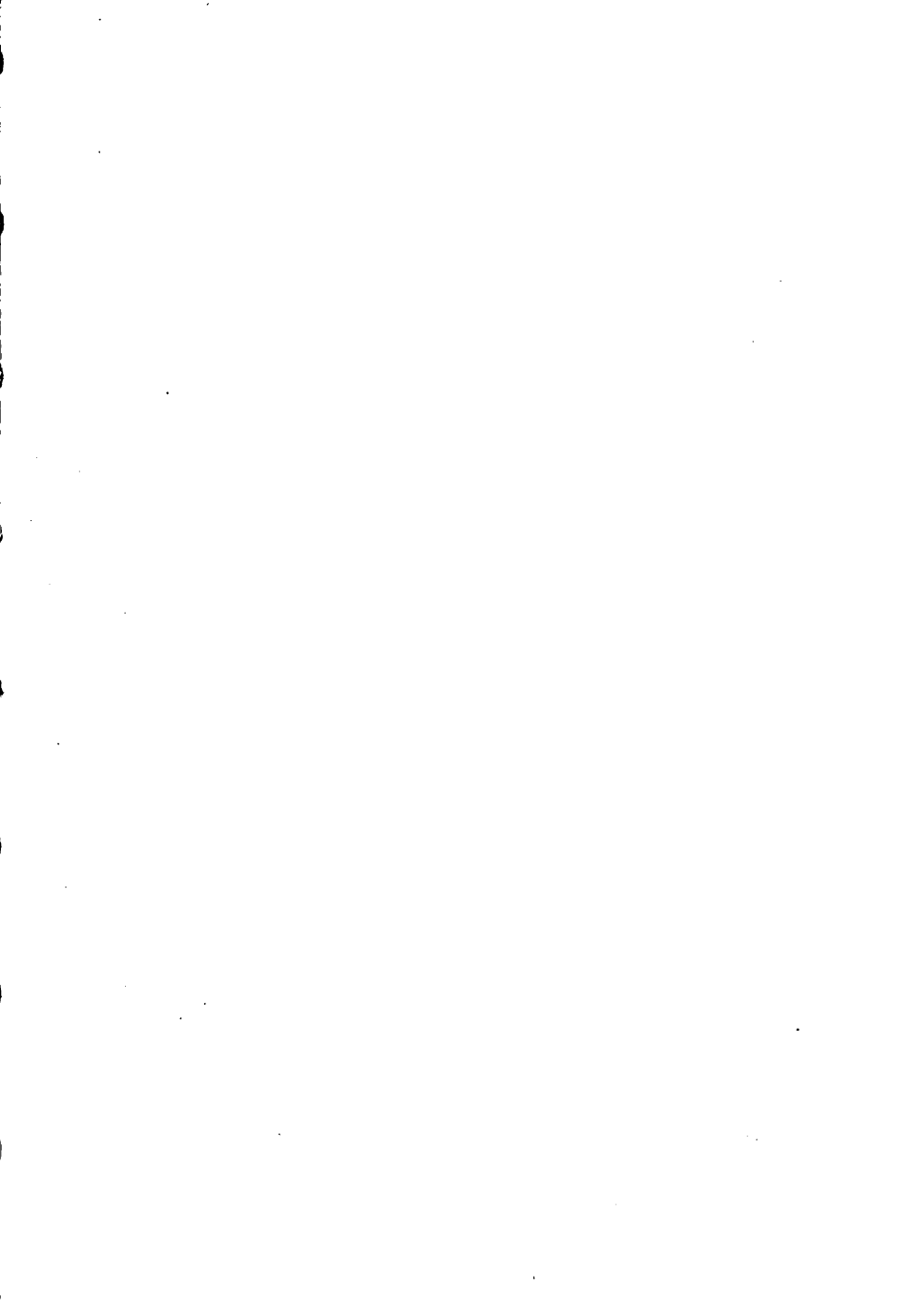
ability	appreciate	campaign	complaint
absurd	approached	cancellation	complete
abundance	arrangement	candidate	complexioned
accommodate	artificial	capital	compliment
accompanied	association	cautioned	conceited
accurate	athletics	ceased	concern
accustomed	atmosphere	cemetery	condemn
achieve	attacked	century	condition
acknowledge	attendance	changeable	connection
acquainted	attraction	character	conquered
advertisement	audience	chauffeur	conscience
affair	banquet	circumference	conscientious
airplane	behavior	circumstance	consequence
all right	beneath	citizen	considerable
ancient	benefited	civilized	continually
announcement	bouquet	college	control
apparatus	boundary	collision	convenience
apparently	breadth	comfort	convenient
appeared	brief	comfortable	conversation
appearance	burglar	commercial	cordially
application	business	committee	courage
appoint	calendar	compelled	courteous

criticized	distinguished	fertile	inconvenience
criticism	district	final	inconvenient
curious	doubtless	foreign	increase
customary	earnest	fortunate	independent
cylinder	easily	frequent	influence
deceitful	education	garage	innocent
deceive	effort	gasoline	instance
decent	elaborate	generally	insurance
decided	election	genuine	intelligent
declare	embarrassed	government	interested
defense	emergency	governor	introduce
definite	emphasized	gradually	irregular
degree	endeavored	graduated	irritate
delicious	engage	grateful	jealous
depth	entrance	handsome	judgment
descend	especially	happiness	justice
despise	evaporate	height	kerosene
develop	exaggerate	hesitate	knowledge
difficulty	exception	honor	legislature
diphtheria	exhaust	hospital	leisure
disagreeable	experience	however	lengthen
disappeared	extraordinary	humorous	liable
disappointment	extremely	ignorance	liberty
discussion	failure	illustrated	license
disease	familiar	immediately	machinery
disgust	famous	impatient	majority
disguise	feature	impossible	marriage
dissatisfied	February	incomplete	materials

mentioned	persuade	reinforce	sincerely
message	political	religious	society
mischief	population	remnant	stationary
mischievous	position	repealed	stationery
modern	possession	represent	strengthen
mortgage	practical	reputation	strenuous
motor	preferred	resemble	succeed
movement	preparation	resent	successful
mysterious	president	respectfully	sufficient
natural	principal	responsible	suggest
necessary	principle	ridicule	suggestion
nervous	privilege	ridiculous	superintendent
neutral	probably	rumor	supposed
nuisance	proceed	salary	suspicious
objection	profession	sanitary	sympathize
occasionally	program	scarcely	system
occurred	prompt	scheme	tedious
official	provide	scissors	temperate
opportunity	public	searched	temporary
opposite	quantity	seized	thorough
orchestra	quarantine	seldom	timid
originally	realize	sensible	transparent
parallel	receipt	separate	treasury
partial	received	serious	unconscious
patience	recent	service	unfortunate
pause	recognize	session	university
peculiar	recommend	severe	valuable
pension	reference	signature	variety
personal	referred	similar	various

Common Abbreviations

account.....	a/c or acct.	Mistress.....	Mrs.
afternoon....	P. M.	Monday.....	Mon.
agent.....	agt.	November.....	Nov.
Anno Domini.	A. D.	Number.....	No.
April.....	Apr.	October.....	Oct.
August.....	Aug.	ounce.....	oz.
Company....	Co.	ounces.....	oz.
County.....	Co.	page.....	p.
December....	Dec.	pages.....	pp.
department...	dept.	pound.....	lb.
doctor.....	Dr.	pounds.....	lbs.
February....	Feb.	Postscript.....	P. S.
forenoon....	A. M.	Reply if you	
Friday.....	Fri.	please.....	R. S. V. P.
gallon.....	gal.	Rural Delivery..	R. D.
General		Saturday.....	Sat.
Delivery...	Gen. Del.	September.....	Sept.
January.....	Jan.	Street.....	St.
June.....	June	Sunday.....	Sun.
July.....	July	Thursday.....	Thurs.
March.....	Mar.	Tuesday.....	Tues.
May.....	May	United States...	U. S.
Messieurs }		United States of	
Misters }	..Messrs.	America.....	U. S. A.
Mister.....	Mr.	Wednesday.....	Wed.



THIS IS
Your Spelling Pocket

Keep in this Pocket

Words You Need to Review

In order that you may learn to spell the words you need to use in writing.

1. Keep in this pocket a list of any common words that you misspell.
2. Review these words frequently and get some one to test you on them.
3. Keep this list revised by striking from it any word as soon as you are sure you have mastered it.

“Lest we forget”

